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MD. Bow Valley Mill Rate Up

M. D. Bow Valley's Council met on Tuesday afternoon, and looked at estimates which mean an increase in the mill rate of two mills. This will mean a levy amounting to 16 mills for the year 1948.

Estimates were also offered as to the amount of damage to roads caused during the storms, and totals came to somewhere in the neighbourhood of \$20,000.

The Council received a letter of resignation from Mr. Ted Hartell, whose continuing ill health makes further service on the council impossible. Mr. Hartell's resignation was accepted with regret, since his interest in the affairs of the municipality has grown with his service. Mr. Hartell first served as a councillor in 1945, and has put in 3 years at the job.

Arrangements will be made shortly for a by-election to fill the vacancy thus created.

Earlier in the day the Council met with the trustees of school divisions whose recognition they had appealed, with Mr. Judge, Deputy Minister from the department at Edmonton, presiding over the session.

The school board showed how costs had increased to the point where increased requisitions were necessary, and the municipality suggested that the tax levies had increased to the point where land could bear no greater load, and any additional revenue would have to come from some other source.

Adjudication was withheld in the matter until some fifteen other appeals have also been heard.

Oratorical Contest Well Attended

Under the Auspices Strathmore District School Fair

About fifty interested citizens gathered in the Council Chamber, Strathmore, on Tuesday evening to hear the School Fair Oratorical Contest. The contestants entered the contest this year and much credit is due to the contestants. The contest was held at the Strathmore School, and the contestants were: C. E. Croft, teacher of Grades 7 and 8, who prepared the contest; and the contestants who reflected much credit on their teacher, and largely increased their own capability in varied avenues, first in gathering the necessary material, then becoming sufficiently familiar with it as to enable them to deliver it intelligently, and with courage and poise, to their audience.

The Judges were Father Gibbons, Rev. D. A. Ford and Rev. A. A. Hamilton. S. H. Crowther was general supervisor, while Mr. Duncan McMurray, President of the School Fair Association, presided.

The contestants and their topics were:—Grade VII Jeannine Gannon, (Continued on Page Six)

Work on Eagle Lake

A crew of about fifty men reported for work on the Eagle Lake situation early this week, with local headquarters on the siding in Strathmore. Their work is to lift large lengths of the track crossing the lake, and build the roadbed higher. In some sections higher track will mean more and wider bridging, under which surplus water may flow.

The crew was accompanied by a trainload of rock and gravel for use in building up the foundations. No estimate can be given as yet as to when operation will permit the running of regular train service, but it is considered to be quite some time in the future.

Installation of O.E.S. Officers on Friday

Friday evening officers from the Mizpah Chapter of the Eastern Star Calgary will visit Strathmore to install the officers of the newly formed Strathmore branch of the lodge. Two bus loads from Calgary, as well as members from Rockyford, Hussar and Standart, will attend, making in all about one hundred and fifty.

A very interesting evening is anticipated.

LEGION AUX. TEA VERY SUCCESSFUL

The Tea given Saturday by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Legion was most successful, the sum of \$104.40 being netted.

The lovely pair of pillow slips donated by Mrs. C. E. Way was won by Mrs. Harry Backs.

Mrs. Tew was ably assisted by her executive committee and a happy social afternoon was enjoyed.

STORES CLOSE MONDAY

Monday, May 24, being a Dominion holiday, Strathmore's stores will remain closed. Drug stores will maintain Sunday hours, it is learned.

United Church W.A. Entertains Choir

Monday evening the choir of United Church were guests of the Women's Auxiliary at a banquet served in the Memorial Room. Ladies in charge of arrangements were Mesdames Sauder, Warrack, North, Mily, Garrett, Ekos, Lounsbury and McMurray. The tables were prettily decorated with Spring flowers and a very choice banquet was enjoyed. This social gathering was arranged as a tribute to the choir to show in some tangible form, appreciation for the services the choir so capably render in the church services. Mrs. T. S. Hughes expressed the thanks of the choir for this expression of good will, and Mrs. Alice Polley on behalf of the choir members presented Mrs. Ray Ferguson, (the latest bride) with a pretty plastic Bon-bou dish.

Speak on School for Christian Training

United Church people will hear about their Leadership training school which is situated at Naramata, B.C., when two students from the school speak at a meeting in the United Church on Thursday, May 27th, at 8:00 p.m.

This school, which is located in the resort area of the Okanagan Lakes, gives to young people an opportunity to get Christian leadership training at little cost.

Two students for the school, Mrs. Marguerite Valentine and Miss Sarah Bartner, are touring Alberta by car, visiting towns and speaking on the school. They have also colored slides and movies which they will show at the meeting. The public is invited to come for what should be a stimulating meeting.

Berryvale W.I.

The regular meeting of Berryvale W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Wise on May 13. Several members made children bedroom ships which were cut out of old for hats by Mrs. F. Hilton. A white elephant sale with Mrs. C. O. Dawson as a very amusing auctioneer netted \$4.86. A delightful lunch was served to 11 members.

Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Way on May 27th. Roll Call will be Penny Stretchers and exchange of plant slips.

Preliminary Estimates Increased Home Assessment Seems Lower

A number of small matters came up for discussion at Tuesday evening's session of the Town Council, and were followed at the end by two which were left over for the next meeting, for further study.

Reports were received from the Town Policeman and the Handyman, from the assessor and from three towns who were referred to in connection with a business tax. It was agreed to purchase public liability insurance on the Town's tractor, against the possibility of an accident.

Some considerable discussion was given to the matter of cleaning up ashes and garbage, and again the suggestion came up of a weekly pick-up of garbage and ashes, as long as they were properly kept in a can. It was pointed out that the barrels presently being used are too heavy to lift, and have to be dumped on the ground, then shovelled into the wagon, whereas proper sized cans emptied weekly could easily be lifted.

Further study will be given the matter, since it was agreed that the biggest problem comes in the spring when all the work needs to be done at the same time.

It was suggested that the Town's disc be hauled behind the grader when working on roads, to cut some of the bigger bumps in the roads, and make them easier to grade.

Lightingale District Holds Fete Mr. and Mrs. Farr on Leaving

On Thursday afternoon of May 6th the Women's Institute and community held a pleasant social afternoon at the Hall in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Farr who are leaving here. Everyone enjoyed the get together after so many weeks of isolation on account of impassable roads and the time passed very quickly. A delicious lunch was served and Mrs. Don Dougan then spoke warmly of the place Mr. and Mrs. Farr held in all our hearts. On behalf of the W.I. she presented Mrs. Farr with a W. I. spoon and on behalf of the community she presented them with a purse. Mrs. Farr thanked them for the gifts and said she hated to leave but ill health made it necessary for them to make a change.

Rev W E Sieber Moves to New Post

Rev. Walter E. Sieber who for the past couple of years has been minister of the United Church field at Gleichen, has accepted the invitation of the United Church at Golden, B. C. and will be leaving Gleichen for his new charge on July 1st.

Prior to his term in Gleichen, Mr. Sieber spent some years with the Carleton branch of the church, and through both pastorates he has become known to residents of the Bow Valley area. Mr. Sieber has always been a hard worker in community affairs, and three is no doubt that his loss to the Gleichen community will be a blow.

The Alberta Conference of the United Church will not be held until next week, and no announcement has been made as to a replacement.

This was mentioned particularly in connection with the bad holes occasioned by the recent storms. The matter of bad water from wells came up, and it was learned that a large number of the Town's wells are affected this way. A sample is to be sent to Edmonton, and the results related, among residents. It was felt there might be danger in using the water.

Estimates for the year 1948 were submitted by the finance committee, Mr. G. E. Quiring and Mr. R. A. Ferguson, and councillors were asked to vote on these for the two weeks till the next meeting. There is no doubt that the requisition will be up substantially, though just how much cannot be said until any revisions are made. In addition, the town has a new assessment, which may change the total assessment figures considerably, and this in turn would be reflected in the mill rate. However, it seems fairly likely that the requisition will be some thirty-five hundred or four thousand dollars higher than last year's, of which about two thousand will be for the school, and about thirty hundred for public works expenses.

A preliminary review of the assessment figures seemed to indicate that dwelling houses had been assessed somewhat lower figure than was the case previously, while business places seemed to have been bumped rather heavily.

Mrs. Greene Heads Standard Ladies Aid

The confirmation services for this year were held on Sunday, May 16 in the Danish Lutheran Church by Rev. Jorgensen. The confirmants were Harold and Ronald Christensen, Kenneth Sorenson, Elvera Christensen, Richard Jensen, Norman Devitt, Kenneth Larsen, Miriam Nielsen, and Berntce Sanderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Westergaard are rejoicing in the birth of a daughter, Linda, on May 9th at Drumheller.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Michie are the proud parents of a daughter, born May 14 in the Holy Cross hospital, Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Knappe also have a new son, born May 12 in the General hospital, Calgary.

On Tuesday, May 11, the poolhall and barber shop burned down at five-thirty a. m. Mr. Frank Kroon's barber chair was saved, but everything else was lost in the blaze. Magnus Nielsen, owner, who had living quarters at the rear, escaped with slight burns and shock. The building, however, will be sadly missed by the men of Standard and community.

The Strathmore High School pupils, under the direction of Mrs. Polley, presented a 3 Act play, in Standard Friday evening. It was enjoyed very much by those present.

Mr. F. D. Knowlton had the misfortune to have had his car stolen Friday evening and so far it has not been recovered.

The United Ladies Aid held their annual meeting May 14 at the home of Mrs. Fletcher. Plans for the annual tea and plant sale were made. The tea and plant sale will be held at the K. P. Hall Saturday May 29. Anyone wishing bedding out plants in either flowers or vegetables will have a wide choice. Anyone wishing to make a special order can do so by getting in touch with Mrs. Lee.

The officers for the ensuing year are President—Mrs. Roy Green, vice-president—Mrs. Fletcher, secretary—Mrs. I. Nielsen, Auditors—Mrs. Knowlton and Mrs. Lee.

Miss Grace Jorgensen has returned home from Toronto where she has been taking a course in occupational therapy. For the summer she has taken a position at the Colonel Belcher hospital in Calgary.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

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FETCH ME MAH BUCKSHOT

With the advent of warmer days many a young sportsman will be polishing his .22 rifle and going forth to try his skill as a marksman with the destructive little gopher — the chief target. All this would be fine except for the fact that there isn't always a gopher around willing to stick his neck out. Then the marksman begins scanning the vicinity for an alternative target. That is when the trouble starts. Telephone insulators are particularly inviting, and adjacent to town are too often used as targets. So prevalent has the practice become that broken insulators are one of the chief causes of rural telephone trouble. A shattered insulator may swell the pride of a would-be marksman but it may mean no end of trouble for the people depending on the telephone for communication and service. On one occasion a rural woman replaced 26 insulators on a half mile close to town. It would seem that before any young man is allowed to go out with a gun he should be instructed in the responsibilities of citizenship and consideration for his fellow man.

—Pincher Creek Echo

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DIVERSIFIED FARMING

Information compiled at the Dominion Experimental Station, Lacombe, shows that mixed farming is more profitable than straight grain growing, that summerfallowing is only necessary every seven or eight years or not at all; that diversified farming rotations help control many weeds and that the inclusion of a legume in the hay mixture and an application of barnyard manure will maintain the fertility of the soil at a high level.

Possibly the most interesting information recorded is that of wheat following summerfallow in comparison with wheat following inter-tilled crops. Wheat grown on summerfallow land in a rotation of summerfallow, wheat and wheat gave a 34 year average of 24.1 bushels per acre while wheat after an inter-tilled crop in a mixed farming rotation which is summerfallowed every seven years produced a 36 year average yield of 36.5 bushels per acre. Most interesting of all is a 37 year average yield of wheat of 34.7 bushels per acre following an inter-tilled crop in a diversified farming rotation which has not included any summerfallowing since 1911.

A study of farm revenue produced on Illustration Stations and District Experimental Stations supervised from

the Lacombe Station indicates the trend towards diversified farming throughout Central Alberta. A summary of this study shows that grain was responsible for 24.41 per cent of the farm revenue, cattle and dairy products for 41.83 per cent, hogs for 20.49 per cent, poultry for 4.91 per cent, and miscellaneous for 3.46 per cent, and that 5 per cent of the value of the farm was consumed at home.

Observations made throughout the farming district served by the Lacombe Station indicate that the trend in farming is following that indicated by the information; and that farmers operating diversified farms in the different soil zones of Central Alberta are better off financially, have more productive farms and farms which are freer from weeds; have better homes, and live a happier and more complete home life than the farmer who depends on all grain or all live stock, or the farmer who puts all his eggs in one basket.

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PLAN FOR PLENTY

This is the Springtime — the time when Mother Earth is everywhere proclaiming the promise of bounty.

Yet today millions go hungry. Food, a great unifying force of God, has been made by men a mighty divisive power. For today food has become an ideological weapon. In many nations men have sold their freedom for bread. Because their stomachs crave food they have accepted ideas which their minds and hearts have rejected.

The need of the hungry nations can link all men in an all-out selfless effort to serve, feed and clothe humanity.

Can Democracy feed hungry Europe? And will Europe find in Democracy the answering idea to fill the void left by Fascism, Nazism and turn the tide of Communism?

Canadian farmers raise much of the food that has kept Europeans alive. But what will they live for? Our food can strengthen men to fight another war or it can strengthen them to fight for peace.

Europe needs food, and desperately, but food alone will not satisfy its hunger. When men are hungry they may respond to a materialistic appeal. But material food only fills the stomach. It cannot satisfy the hunger for a decent world.

Hunger breeds hate — hate for those held responsible for it. That hatred cannot be cured by bread alone, but by the passion to build a new world, where one will need to go hungry.

A passion to build can only come when the heart is free from self-interest and the "gimme" spirit — purged of all but the clean drive of love for a new world.

We must produce an inspired ideology for Democracy. We can do it. It is a crop which grows quickly. We can sow the seeds of honest apology, change of heart and obedience to God. We shall reap a harvest of moral fibre and teamwork in the nation. This we can export with our food. This can teach men how to live in peace and plenty.

In Others' Words

It Doesn't Make Sense

There is a plant in Red Deer, Alberta, which casks milk. It has an outlet to Vancouver for a considerable percentage of its production. But that Red Deer plant finds that it must meet competition from the dairies of Ontario. It runs out of the "all ways" dairy cannot milk from Ontario to Red Deer, or cheaper than they will carry it from Red Deer, Alberta, to Vancouver.

The reason for the railway's

action is the competition of the water haul. "If the railways are not to be compensated for shipping they do not get the business. So they cut their rates. Alberta people are inclined to scratch their heads when they hear that it costs more to freight condensed milk from Red Deer to Vancouver than it does from an Ontario condensery three times further away.

(Brooks Bulletin)

Financing Public Works

There is talk round town of the number of desirable projects which might be attempted under the heading of public works. Undoubtedly there is much work required on streets to bring them up to satisfactory standard. But the question is how the work would be paid for.

One suggestion is to borrow \$35,000 on debenture, or whatever sum is considered necessary to carry out reasonably satisfactory public works. But the council has only recently passed the by-law authorizing borrowing \$35,000 for the Memorial Centre, and no further borrowing can be done before a 60-day period.

Another suggestion is that the Council might much better raise the mill rate, so that services enjoyed now be paid for now, instead of being passed on as a liability to be taken care of by the future taxpayer. If 50 mills cannot take care of town requirements including a modest program of new work, then the taxpayers might as well face the cost eventually.

From any expressions of opinion one hears, there are very few in favour of the future taxpayer. The world is in very uncertain state at present, and this year shows less confidence in an undisturbed future than was evident a year or two ago. Under such uncertainties taxpayers hesitate to

advocate further borrowing which places the burden of today's projects on citizens of the future. Those citizens may have their own serious problems to cope with without any help-over from these "good years."

Mill rates have been going up in other towns. Vulcan for example has jumped from 55 to 64 mills. The business tax is raised and discount payments are reduced. This is mainly due to increased school and hospital rates, and a start is being made of water installation. In other centres it has been found necessary to raise taxes to meet the rise in ordinary expenditures and to take care of any new work.

But there is also a substantial element of taxpayers who would approve neither raising the mill rate nor borrowing. They say that if a street program cannot be squeezed out of the 50 mill rate, they will not be gotten till times are steadier. This of course, would just be a postponement of work which must be done eventually.

Councillors are reluctant to raise mill rates, and taxpayers know that once the rate goes up, it takes time to get it back down again. But it would probably be better to face facts by rise in mill rates than resort to the camouflage of borrowing.

—High River Times

Crop Insurance

The question of insuring crops against crop failure was raised last week again in the House of Commons. The Prairie Farm Assistance Act at present covers only farmers in the three Prairie Provinces. It has been suggested that the benefits of the act be extended to all provinces and on a much smaller basis than half a township.

With regard to extending the benefits to the whole of Canada, it is quite possible that the same situation would arise as maintained in the western provinces. Alberta farmers contributed \$7,314,000 and received \$16,421,000 from P.F.A. Manitoba farmers paid in \$4,235,000 and got \$17,722,000. Saskatchewan farmers contributed \$14,652,000 and drew benefits of \$54,502,000. The Dominion government paid the difference. If B.C.'s fruit farmers receive more benefits than P.E.I. potato growers, under an extended program, there are bound to be matters such as those of a Nanton farmer who has contributed to a fund that in the end benefited farmers at Bonanza.

As for the basis on which the assistance is given being extended to individual farms the Lethbridge Herald has a worthwhile editorial on the subject, reading as follows: "Parliament has been discussing amendments which would make possible extension of payments under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act."

Under this Act farmers pay to find one cent a bushel when they deliver their wheat, and are entitled to receive benefits up to \$2.50 per acre for varying degrees of crop failure where the average yield of the area is under eight bushels per acre. Originally the Act required that the failure must spread to a whole township before P.F.A. became applicable. This was later cut to half a township. The crop

failure might be attributed to drought, hail or other cause, and so long as half a township or more is affected the payments are made. Insurers each year assess the crop yields in varying townships where crops have not been up to the standard. The act is confined in its application to the three Prairie Provinces.

C.C.F. members have been urging that payments should be made where crops fail on only one farm, but there is not much disposition to assent to this proposal. The reason is that it could then be invoked to cover bad farming. There may be times, it is true, when hail may hit only one farm in a district, but that is very unusual, and it is possible to insure against hail separately so that no farmer need be left without some crop insurance coverage on that account. It is conceivable, however, for one farmer in a township to so neglect his cultivation, the kind of neglect which has been the bane of farm husbandry generally that he might harvest a crop far below that of his neighbors. It should not be possible for the P.F.A. to extend to such cases.

The one cent a bushel deducted from the farmer's grain cheque when he delivers wheat to the elevator is not much, and is little more. But in areas where drought is liable to strike such as in some sections of the Palliser Triangle, the P.F.A. payments can be a Godsend. It is good insurance even though it is not as large enough to do more than keep a farm family in operation till the next crop comes along. Farmers feel that they are paying for this insurance—even though in a few years the total collections do not cover the total outlays—and it relieves them from the stigma of accepting anything in the way of charity. P.F.A. is a splendid institution but it must be guarded from abuse.

—Nanton News

STANDARD WANT-ADS BRING RESULTS

Thirtle's Theatre

WEDNESDAY

MAY 26

ALWAYS
TOGETHER
Joyce Reynolds
& Robert Hutton

FRI. & SAT.

MAY 21 & 22

SAIGON
Allan Ladd &
Veronica Lake

FRI. & SAT.

MAY 28 & 29

HER HUSBANDS
AFFAIRS
Franchot Tone &
Lucille Ball

Farming News

Produced by the Alberta
Department of Agriculture

CONTROL BACTERIAL RINGROT

Commercial potato growers are
warned by the Field crops Branch

to take every precaution against
Bacterial Ringrot. This serious
disease cause soft rot in the outer
rings of the tubers and although
difficult to detect when the infesta-
tion is light, substantial losses
will result unless the disease is
controlled.

The co-operation of all commercial
potato growers is requested in ob-
taining permits to plant potatoes.
In addition to assisting in preven-
tion of loss to growers, these pre-
cautions provide assurance that Al-
berta grown potatoes will find a
ready market in other provinces
and in other countries. If you have
not yet made arrangements for your
planting permit, application should
be made to the Field Crops Branch,
Alberta Department of Agriculture,
Edmonton, or to the office of your
District Agriculturalist.

SPRAY WITH DDT

The procedure followed in spray-
ing sheep is simple. The solution
is mixed in the sprayer tank and
kept agitated. The sheep are
crowded into a long narrow pen
and the spray is applied by hold-
ing the spray gun about one foot
above the sheep and spraying the
backs of the sheep until the fleeces
are thoroughly saturated. Approx-
imately ½ gallon of solution per
mature animal and ¼ gallon of
solution per lamb is required
if spraying is done within two
weeks after shearing. It is
recommended that spraying be done
10 to 14 days after shearing for
the longer wool after that time pre-
vents the penetration of the solu-
tion to the skin.

Further information will be
supplied on request by the Experimen-
tal Station, Lethbridge.

Pantry Feature

Old English No. 8 Baking Wax
with free applicator, qut. .38

Rhubarb .25c

Purex, Facial Tissue .46

Blue Milt Coffee, lb .49

Dried Apples .26c

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Woodbury's Facial Soap, bar .09

Helga Sandwich Spread .31

Spiced .31

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Sundown Pork & Beans, 2 for .33c

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Notices, 50 cents per insertion nor
over five lines. Over five lines
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Thanks, and In Memoriam notices,
may be obtained on application to
the Strathmore Standard.

COMING EVENTS

Regular clinics for infant and pre-
school children are held by the
Wheatland Health District from
2:00 to 4:00 p.m.
Strathmore the second and fourth
Tuesday in each month. Carlsbad
the second Friday in each month.
Standard the third Thursday in
each month. Rockyford the third
Friday in each month.

The C.G.I.T. will hold a Tea in
the Memorial Room of United
Church Saturday, May 29. Every-
body welcome. 1c

ESTRAY

STRAYED ONTO OUR PLACE
last week, small white feeder pig.
Owner may have same by paying
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MISCELLANEOUS

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aging for 5-years or Berliou pays
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IN MEMORIAM

TAYLOR—
In loving memory of John Taylor
who passed away May 18th, 1945.
"Oh! for the touch of a vanished
hand, and the sound of a voice that
is stilled"
Ever remembered by his loving
wife and family.

ANOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beattie an-
nounce the engagement of their
youngest daughter, Helen Mary, to
Edward G. Kingsmith, son of Mr.
and Mrs. George Kingsmith of
Queenstown. Marriage is to take
place early in July.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the people of
Strathmore and district for their
generous donations.
The Wilson Family and Howard
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FOR SALE

1940 FORD 2 TON TRUCK, WITH
grain box and stock racks. New
motor. T. S. Hughes, Phone 84,
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Lake, Alta. 2m20c

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Cluny Notes

by Mrs. G.W.B.

The regular meeting of the W.I. was held in the Club room on Thursday, May 6th. We are glad to welcome back some of our members who have been unable to attend meetings for the past three months owing to road conditions. Mrs. Derrick was hostess assisted by Mrs. Goldsmith. The Roll Call, "Characteristics of a good citizen" brought very good answers on what a citizen ought to be.

A committee was formed to serve supper for the Board of Trade dance on the 14th.

Mrs. Koefoed and Mrs. MacArthur are looking after the over-sea parcels for the rest of the year.

The high light of the evening was a paper "Women and Citizenship" prepared by Mrs. Inman and read by Mrs. Haymond, as Mrs. Inman was unable to be present. On account of road conditions Mr. Milligan's visit had to again be postponed. Miss Hogg is to be guest speaker at the next W. I. meeting.

We are glad to hear Mrs. Inman, who had under gone an operation in a Calgary hospital, is progressing favorably.

We are sorry to hear Mrs. Fairbairn has been on the sick list but hope she will soon be feeling O.K. again.

A shower of interest to the community was held in the club room on the afternoon of May 12th, for Miss Catherine Goldsmith, who is to be married shortly, the club room was beautifully decorated with pink and white streamers. There were about fifty guests. After a pleasant afternoon of social chatting and contests the guests were invited to the dining room where the tables were spread with white linen cloths tastefully decorated in pink, with bouquets of flowers, where a delicious lunch was served. The climax, of course, was when little Miss Marine Heinicke wheeled in a baby buggy, decorated and filled high with gifts, and presented them to the bride-to-be with the best wishes of everyone. The gifts were many and varied. Catherine replied in well chosen words inviting everyone to come and see her before she left. She and her mother held open house Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons. Since Catherine is going to live down east a goodly number of her friends took this opportunity of calling and extending Best Wishes.

The Board of Trade dance on Friday night was a success in spite of roads and weather. Harold Anderson's orchestra supplied peppy music and everyone reports a good time.

The W.I. bridge was held in the Club room on Tuesday evening. Five tables with Mrs. Donald Clark and Mrs. Cecile Corbelle hostesses. Mrs. Robinson had high score.

The bridge ends for this season with a pot luck supper on the 26th.

Chancellor Notes

by Mrs. J. M. W.

Mrs. B. L. Hegd entertained at tea on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. H. P. Penske arrived home from Los Angeles, California, on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Strom arrived home from Victoria, B. C. on Wednesday.

Jim Paulson came out on Wednesday to attend to his farming interests.

Melvin Muir arrived home on Thursday from California.

Mr. Phil Rogers and J. M. Wheatley attended the Shrine Breakfast at Medicine Hat on Sunday morning.

Mrs. J. M. Wheatley attended the Horse Show in Calgary on Saturday Eve.

Mrs. Wm. Kapanuk entertained at tea on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Penske have moved out to their farm.

SEED TREATMENT PAYS

In spite of the ease with which seed can be treated these days, every fall brings losses to many Alberta farmers as a result of smutted grains. Some idea of the loss can be obtained from the fact that on the top three grades of wheat the price is reduced 10 cents per bushel if smut is present. That means that on a 2,000 bushel car the loss would be \$200.00.

There is a good market for used articles.

Fairplay

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Habberfield are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter, Sharon Jeanette. Mrs. Habberfield and the baby are spending a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snider, before coming home.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Peterson and family have left our district to take up residence in their new home in the Dalmead district.

The old grey mare that "Aint what

she used to be" is very much in evidence in this district this spring.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Fred Dain is much improved after having been confined to bed for a couple of weeks.

Marv Peterson made a quick trip to the farm two weeks ago between storms.

Mrs. E. Lowe spent a few days in Calgary last week with her daughters.

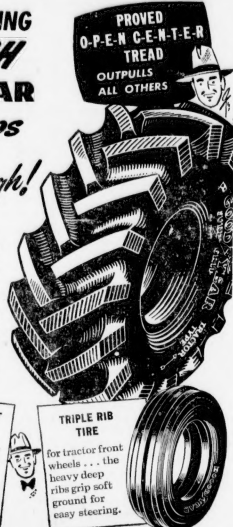
Mrs. S. Dain is spending several weeks at the home of her son and daughter-in-law in Albert Park.

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Cheadle Notes

by Miss B. W.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. R. Russell is in the hospital and has to under go a Thyroid operation. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Tony De Vaux had the misfortune of dropping a packer on his hand, resulting in a broken finger.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Smith and family moved to Strathmore to take care of the Golf Course during the summer months.

George Yamamoto is improving slowly from his broken hip, but is still in the hospital.

Mrs. C. Russell and son Billie left for two weeks holiday with her mother at the Coast.

We are very sorry to hear that Cliff Torgimson has been very ill and is in the hospital.

Nightingale

There have been changes in this community during the past weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stoodley and family moved to Loughede where they will make their home in the future. Mr. and Mrs. Don Murray moved back to the Murray farm at Bowden. Both families were actively interested in community affairs and will be missed. We wish them success in their new homes.

Mr. Burke and family from Rockyford district have moved into the farm vacated by Jack Stoodley.

The country looks grand with all the snow gone. While the roads are in bad shape we still manage to get around.

Mrs. F. H. Harriman returned to her home last Thursday after spending several weeks in Calgary on account of ill health.

For some reason we forgot to mention for some time past that Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stoodley were the proud parents of a bouncing baby boy, born March 25th.

Rural Gleichen

Mrs. B. McKeever, Loretta and Billie spent several days in Calgary last week.

Mrs. R. B. Hayes of Calgary visited her daughter, Mrs. E. Dollinger, recently for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ferguson were in Calgary Thursday. Friends of Mr. Ferguson will be glad to learn his health is improving slowly.

A number of relatives helped Mrs. J. H. Sammons celebrate her birthday Sunday.

George Walker went to Calgary Sunday to bring home his wife. Mrs. Walker was operated on recently in a Calgary hospital.

Mrs. Jack Wilson was hostess to the C.F.W.A. at her home Thursday afternoon. The meeting was presided over by the president Mrs. J. Wilson. This was the first meeting of the organization for some time on account of weather and bad roads. The social hour was greatly enjoyed by all present and a delicious lunch was served by the lunch committee.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion held their meeting May 13 in the Legion Hall, Gleichen, with a good attendance. President Mrs. Oliver presided over the meeting. Mrs. M. E. Roberts was initiated into the Auxiliary. A tea and home cooking was planned for June 5, to be held in the Legion Hall. After an interesting contest, a delicious lunch was served by members of Auxiliary.

There will be Morning Prayer in St. Andrew's Church on May 23rd, at 12 noon, conducted by the Rev. D. A. Ford, B.A. B.D.

UNDER THE STREETLAMP

A rather bumptious fellow was giving evidence in court.

"You say you stood up?" asked Magistrate Crowther.

"I said," retorted the conceited one "that I stood. If one stands one must stand up. There's no other way of standing."

"Oh, isn't there?" replied Mr. Crowther. "Pay ten dollars for contempt of court, and—stand down!"

Pat: "I'm Irish and proud of it." Donald: "I'm Scotch and fond of it."

Her lips quivered as they approached his. His whole frame trembled as he looked into her eyes. Her chin vibrated and his body shuddered as he held her close.

Moral: Never kiss a girl in a jeep with the engine running.

Mr. MacKenzie: "Why didn't you answer my question?"

Bill Anderson: "I did. I shook my head."

Mr. MacKenzie: "Did you expect me to hear it rattle from here?"

Mrs. Slater: "How is your daughter getting along at college?"

Mrs. Sander: "She must be doing very well in languages. We just paid for three courses—\$10 for Latin, \$10 for French, and \$100 for Scotch."

Edna Hughes—"How did you enjoy your trip south, Mrs. Kimmet?"

Mrs. Kimmet—"Not very well. Those damp airs gave me rheumatism."

Edna Hughes—"That's strange. The fruit didn't bother me."

Norman Jones—"You can't ask for a raise like that. You must work yourself up."

Ted Farthing—"I did. I'm trembling all over."

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who spoke on "Plant Friends." Grade VIII Brendan Quirin, "Radio-Active Elements and Their Power in a Modern World." Peter McKenzie, "Glass More Precious than Diamonds." Hilda Ekkes "Cold Storage."

The contestants showed remarkable self control, and if they were nervous, they did not show it. They had mastered their subjects well and each presented much interesting information.

At the conclusion of the speeches, Father Gibbons gave a very encouraging talk to the contestants, congratulating them on their courage in undertaking this task and gave words of comfort in that the great thing for each was not who won tonight but the strength of attempting the task and doing their best that would be the important thing thirty years hence. Some humorous sidelights were given to the interest of the advice thus given.

Mr. McMurray gave the report of the Judges, and presented the prizes. Grade VII Jeanne Gannon; Grade VIII—1 Hilda Ekkes; 2 Brendan Quirin.

The winner received a silver cup and a book, and to Mr. Crellin was given the custody of the larger cups for the year until an outside school of the district, captures the prize. Mr. Crellin was congratulated by all on his worthy effort.

A most interesting Musical Programme was contributed by Rev. Ford who sang "Come Let Us be Merry." An Indian Love Lyric, "Pale Hands" with Miss Jean Garrett accompanying on the Piano. Miss Garrett also directed the band with a masterly rendering of Wagner's "Prelude Chorus," and Schubert's "Ave Maria."

**"Old at 40, 50, 60?"
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Farmer's Column

R. J. Milligan, District Agriculturist

Something new has come into this area in the form of a new type of legume called Ladino Clover. This clover is a giant form of the common White Clover which is showing promise as a Wisconsin pasture crop. It is a rapidly growing perennial which spreads much like strawberries by producing fleshy creeping stems. Short tap roots develop beneath the crowns of the plants and numerous fibrous roots are commonly produced at the nodes or joints of the creeping stems.

Under favorable conditions a single plant may produce six to ten or more strawberry-like surface runners which by the end of the year form a dense interlocking growth with nearby plants. The leaves are borne on long leaf stalks and these, together with the flower stems, grow upright from the nodes or joints of the stems that spread along the surface of the soil.

Ladino clover and common white clover are similar in shape, color and markings of the leaves and in the shape and color of the flower heads but Ladino clover usually produces fewer flower heads. However, if soil and climatic conditions are favorable, the leaves, leaf stalks and flowers of Ladino clover grow to two to four times the size of those of common white clover. This clover normally grows to a height of 10 to 14 inches but if soil and climatic conditions are very favorable plants may grow 15 to 20 inches tall. Seed of Ladino clover cannot be distinguished from that of common white clover and very young or seedling plants of these two forms of clover are hard to identify.

Some Advantages of Ladino Clover
— It is a perennial of medium long life.

— It may be used in seedling mixtures or bromegrass to provide nutritious hay or pasture for two or more years.

— It is high in protein, minerals and vitamins and low in fiber.

— It is extremely resistant to unfavorable conditions and retards the encroachment of most weeds and many undesirable grasses.

— It provides an excellent ground cover which is effective in reducing water losses due to runoff and soil losses by erosion.

— It is valuable in soil improvement.

ment.

— It tolerates wetter conditions and poorly drained hard-pan soils where alfalfa does not survive.

— It is injured less by heaving than alfalfa and red clover.

— It is reestablished from natural reseeding if properly managed.

— It is highly palatable up to maturity to all livestock.

— It is among the earliest of the legumes to start growth in the spring.

— It recovers very rapidly after grazing or mowing when moisture is adequate.

Some Disadvantages of Ladino Clover
— It is not productive on droughty soils, during the drier parts of the summer, and in dry growing seasons.

— It is not sufficiently hardy to withstand severe winter conditions especially when grown on soils of low fertility or if too closely grazed in September and October.

— Continuous and close grazing decreases production, weakens the plants and may result in summer killing from heat or winter killing from excessive cold.

— It is hard to cut with the mowing machine because of its heavy dense, tangled, succulent growth.

— It is hard to cure because of the high moisture content of the forage.

— It is susceptible to leafhopper injury in late spring and summer particularly in the southern portion of the state.

As far as we have been able to learn, the Ladino will withstand winter fairly well and does well on irrigated area. There are two possibilities with this clover, one as a seed crop and second as a pasture.

As an experiment, an acre of this clover is to be planted on the Western Irrigation District property south of the No. 1 highway across from Mrs. T. B. Hughes' property.

We hope to produce seed profitably and if this could be demonstrated, another source of income will be available to farmers in the Western Irrigation District. We do not have all the information we require on pasture crops and hay crops. Strong recommendations have been made this year to produce as much clover and hay as possible; by proper rotation, pastures will carry larger number of

Farm News

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CHOOSE FARM MACHINERY WISELY

E. B. Martin, Extension Agricultural Engineer, Alberta Department of Agriculture says that there are still farmers in Alberta interested in the possibilities of rotary tillage equipment on their farms — and to these farmers, Mr. Martin's advice is to leave it alone.

livestocks, and this is where Ladino clover fits in.

Clover 1 nthe Westlock Sanguo areas is harvested by pick-up combines. We have this machinery in this area, and we are looking forward with great deal of pleasure towards the production of Ladino seed in this area.

Those interested should visit this plot throughout the summer.

Rotary tillers (of which there are several varieties) are relatively small, expensive implements with rotating knives or teeth that break down the soil structures and leave the land in a very finely pulverized condition. Such a condition does make a good seed bed, and these implements might be all right for truck gardens or similar small plots. However, Mr. Martin emphasizes that nobody interested in the future of this western country can combine the use of such equipment to general farm use. "We have only recently recovered from one battle against dust storms," he says, "and nothing could provoke a recurrence quicker than extensive use of rotary tillage machinery in this province."

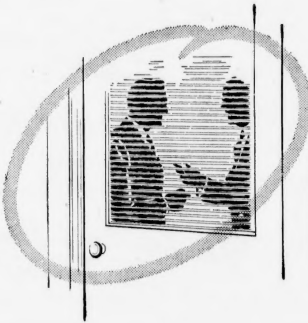
Your District Agriculturist will be glad to advise on the value or

otherwise of any new type of implement that you may be considering. We suggest that you make use of his services. His suggestions may not only save your hard-earned dollars, but may be the means of helping to prevent destruction of your most valuable asset — a rich fertile soil.

JUNIOR BEEF CLUB ACHIEVEMENT DAYS

Members of Alberta Junior Beef Calf Clubs are looking forward to their Achievement Days. This year nearly 2,000 calves will be shown at 88 fairs and 20 sales will be held. These events will start at Lloydminster on May 24th and end at Vermillion on July 29th, with most of them taking place before June 15th.

C. S. Black, Supervisor of Junior Activities for the Alberta Department of Agriculture, advises that group judging and pro-rating will be new features this year. In group judging, all animals of similar quality will be placed in one group. Continued on page eight—



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MOTOR CAVALCADE TO STOP AT "HAT"

It is expected that between 75 and 100 will arrive in a motor cavalcade here on the late afternoon of Tuesday, May 25, where delegates will be entertained at the regular dinner meeting of the local Chamber of Commerce.

A member of the group from the eastern prairies will address the gathering, and the Saskatchewan and Manitoba representatives will be accommodated here. Accompanied by the local group, the caravan will push on to Lethbridge the following morning and spend the evening in Cranbrook. They are

slated to arrive in Nelson on the night of May 27 where they will spend a two-day conference with Chamber members and others from the west coast.

The purpose of the motor cavalcade is the promotion of a trans-Canada highway through the southern prairies.

For Women Only**HOUSEHOLD HINTS**

(1) After hours of scouring, you may find that you have taken the gloss off the paint and enamel. Here is a way to clean house easily. Buy one quart of coal-oil and one quart of white vinegar. Mix equal quantities together. Two cups of each will clean the average room. Start wherever you like in the house and go completely around the room with a soft rag soaked in the coal-oil and vinegar solution. Take everything as you come to it—paint, window-panes, venetian blinds, and the furniture. Rinse out the rag once in a while in the solution. You will find that grease and dirt come off with ease. Start in now with a large soft rag and rub everything over again, and you will have a glossy paint, shining windows and furniture. Keep the bottle of the mixture near the sink, and each time after the dishes are finished, pour a few drops of it into the sink, rub with a piece of rag and you have a shining sink all the time.

(2) Unless you are going in for a big program of milking, it should be possible to cut out separating at night. After straining the night's milking, set the container in a tub of cold water. Next morning while the milking is being done, raise the temperature of the milk to blood heat at the back of the range. The milk from both night and morning is separated at the same time and the separator needs to be done only once a day.

(3) Add a little: A few chopped chives to cream of potato soup, cottage cheese for salad, an omelet or a baked stuffed potato.

Onion—chopped or sliced in scalloped potatoes. A little sugar and a sprinkling of ginger to winter carrots. Cheese to the sauce for creamed green beans.

Garlic to a green salad. Rub the bowl with a crushed bulb or soak a garlic clove in the French dressing.

A touch of lemon juice or vinegar to the blueberries for pie. A little curry to the stuffing for devilled eggs.

A whinger of cinnamon to hot chocolate or cocoa. Or a grating of nutmeg.

Orange juice to the basting for roast duck or chicken. To beets. Vinegar to spinach. Chopped parsley to scalloped potatoes.

RECIPES**Cottage Cheese—**

Use clean, fresh skim milk. Put milk in large container. Add a little sour milk or starter, about one cupful to a gallon of milk, to hasten the curdling. With a good starter, the skim milk will curdle in about 10 to 15 hours. Keep at a warm room temperature of 75 degrees F. until curdled. Too high a temperature causes a tough cheese. When the milk is firmly clabbered, pour into it about one-third as much boiling water as you have milk, or enough boiling water to heat the mixture to about 100 to 110 degrees F. Carefully stir the curd and let stand seven to ten minutes, or until curd has barely separated from the whey. Pour the whole mixture into a cheesecloth or a fine wire strainer. If you prefer a mild flavoured cheese, pour cold water over the curd. This washes it and removes the acid flavor. Salt the cheese to suit the taste.

Smothered Chicken—Cut a fowl into individual servings, roll in seasoned flour and brown in hot fat in a frying pan. Arrange the pieces in a casserole. Add one cupful of water to the remaining fat in the pan, pour this over the chicken, then add one cupful of rich milk or thin cream. Cover and cook in moderate oven for 45 minutes, or until the chicken is tender. Make a milk gravy with the drippings in the casserole to serve over or accompanying the chicken.

Meat Souffle — 4 tablespoons fat
1 cup milk
2 tablespoons fine dry bread crumbs
1 egg, separated
1/2 cup cooked meat, ground
Salt and pepper to taste.
Melt fat in top of double-boiler, add flour and blend. Add milk slowly and stir constantly until very thick. Add crumbs, beaten egg yolk and meat to sauce. Mix well and season to taste. Fold in stiffly beaten egg white. Turn into 2 well-greased custard cups. Steam 35 to 40 minutes or until a silver knife, inserted in the centre, comes out clean. Yield two servings.

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Farming News

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using a total of four groups at each fair. In pro-rating credit is given for the member's club work regardless of where his calf is placed.

This is expected to be a record year as far as number of calves shown is concerned. Club members have worked hard through a difficult winter and it is hoped that good prices will be received for the animals offered.

SHOWMANSHIP SUGGESTIONS

With Junior Beef Club Achievement Days in the offing, club members will find helpful the following suggestions on showmanship from G. S. Black, Supervisor of Junior Activities, Alberta Department of Agriculture.

(1) Use a neat rope halter, or a leather one. Be sure it is clean and the lead rope carried in a coil. Remember to polish the brass on the leather halter.

(2) Always keep the calf between you and the judge.

(3) Most classes are judged in about thirty minutes. Therefore, you have thirty minutes to show your calf, no let up — watch that calf and watch the judge.

(4) Keep the calf alert. Jingle the lead line, brush its hair, keep it standing correctly. Do not relax.

(5) When taking your position in line, remember two things. Take plenty of room and, if possible, have the front feet slightly higher than the hind feet.

(6) When moving a calf out of line do not back it. Walk ahead around the other calves and come in from the rear straight to your new position.

(7) Carry a stick or a cane. Use it gently or not at all.

(8) If you win say you were lucky. If you lose congratulate

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ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION: Prone Method. Some injuries such as electric shock, drowning, gas poisoning and choking interfere with breathing and may cause asphyxiation, unless normal breathing is promptly restored. Artificial respiration should be restored to bring this about, but remember, SEND FOR A DOCTOR IMMEDIATELY.

Lay the patient prone, (face down), the head "downhill", if possible, with one arm extended directly overhead, and the other arm bent at the elbow to form a resting place for head, so that nose and mouth are free for breathing.

Kneel, straddling the patient's thighs, with palms of the hands on the small of the back, and fingers resting on the ribs, the little finger just touching the lowest rib, and the fingers extended straight down.

With arms held straight, swing forward slowly, bringing the weight of the body gradually upon the patient, so that the shoulder in this position is directly over the heel of the hand at the end of the forward swing. Do not bend elbows. Then immediately swing backward, so as to remove the pressure completely. After two seconds, repeat the pressure and release, the complete swing forward and backward to take four or five seconds, or 12 to 15 times a minute. Continue without interruption until the patient breathes naturally.

Patients have been revived after as long as four hours or more by this method. Keep up the artificial respiration and do not allow patient, even if he starts to breathe naturally, to stand or sit up. Keep patient warm and if doctor has not arrived by the time patient has revived, give light stimulants, 1 teaspoon of aromatic spirits of ammonia in a small glass of water, or hot drink of coffee or tea. Watch patient to see that normal breathing continues, and if natural breathing stops, begin artificial respiration again. If necessary, to change operator, the change should be made without losing the rhythm of respiration.

*Suggested by***THE BREWING INDUSTRY OF ALBERTA**

Farm News

NEW BULLETIN ON 2,4-D

Of special interest to Alberta farmers at this time is the new bulletin on weed control with 2,4-D now available from the Alberta Department of Agriculture.

This bulletin gives an up-to-date, practical summary of the uses of the chemical. It explains the different forms of 2,4-D (esters, amines and sodium salts), where to use them, how to use them, and the most satisfactory equipment for their application. It contains a list of common Alberta weeds grouped according to response to 2,4-D treatment. Convenient tables show 2,4-D requirements of various weeds and crops and indicate the amounts to be used of the different kinds of 2,4-D weed killers on the market.

Copies of the bulletin, "Weed Control with 2,4-D" are now available from District Agriculturists or from the Agricultural Extension Service, Alberta Department of Agriculture, Edmonton.

GRIT FOR BABY CHICKS AND TURKEY POULTS

Many farmers are not supplying grit to their baby chicks and turkey poults. This should be done right from the beginning. C. W. Traves, Poultry Commissioner, Alberta Department of Agriculture, states that many samples of commercial, as well as home mixed, chick and poulter starters contain more coarse material, such as oat hulls, alfalfa stalks, etc., than we like to see. Examination of many dead and sick chicks and poults shows the gizzards impacted with this fibrous material and sometimes inflammation of the intestines as well. In most cases no grit is present at all.

Chicks and poults do not have any teeth and are dependent on grit

Mary Toews, One-time Namaka Teacher Writes From African Mission School

Dear Mr. McLeod:

Greetings from the heart of Africa. After having taught an enterprise on Africa, I consider it a real privilege to carry one out in Africa now. By the grace of God I want to accomplish the work for which He has sent me out here. I arrived in Leopoldville Dec. 24th, by plane and have been at the station here since Jan. 4th. Africa is beautiful beyond expectation, with all its hills and jungled valleys. It is most interesting too, after touring Rockefeller Centre in New York, to be set back about four or five thousand years, I would say almost to the stone age. Life is most primitive; a little mud hut and an earth pot comprise about the sole

possession of the average native. But Africa is at the crossroads now and is waking up almost as fast as Japan did after the last great war.

I am in charge of a school here now of about five hundred children on the enrollment list. We have native "teachers" helping, and they make very good teachers too; that is, they are able to put across what they know and as much as they know. Inferiority complex is not an innate tendency. The one thing badly lacking is teaching method. I want to try and give a "Normal School" course to about a hundred teachers this summer. Their equipment, beyond a long stick, consists of about two or three books. The language has been reduced to writing recently, and material is needed. I am working on a primer for the school's now. This language written down phonetically and is not difficult at all.

Now to my request: I was unable to procure maps before I left, and I would like to know if I could somehow get some thru the Board. Any world "chocolate" map, even if used, would be very good, or other maps of world interest. We lack map on Africa too. I would be most obliged for anything you can do for me in this line.

I prefer the climate out here to that in cold Canada.

Yours truly,
Mary Toews.

Christian Science

"Soul and Body" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in Christian Science churches Sunday. It is elucidated in the reading of passages like these: "And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God." (Revelation 21:3). "Soul, or Spirit is God, unchangeable and eternal; and man coexists with and reflects Soul, God, for man is God's image." (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, p. 120.)

and the muscular action of the gizzard to grind their food. If grit is not present and there is too much fibrous material in the feed the gizzard will become impacted and the bird will starve to death.

Ardenode News

by H. S.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Sarsons are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, May 14th. Both mother and babe are doing very nicely.

Mrs. Fred Hilton entertained a number of guests last Wednesday in honor of Mrs. C. O. Dawson, a brand new bride in the district. During the tea hour, Mrs. Dawson was presented with a chest of silver, from all her friends in the district. We sincerely hope they can enjoy many years of happiness and good health in the years ahead.

Our roads are getting quite passable again with warm days, and good wind all helps considerably, but there are still some very mean places, and drivers of trucks and automobiles should look well before they leap.

We almost had a sad fatality in our district Monday evening, when Mr. Frank Paveck was eating his evening meal a piece of hard meat became stuck in his throat, almost shutting off his wind, but with lots of massage, etc., we finally got it down, much to the relief of Frank and his family. Frank is now under the care of a throat specialist in Calgary.

Mrs. H. Hendrickson is nursing several broken ribs received while riding on the bad roads. The car overturned, and left no place to get out. We sincerely hope she will soon be feeling better.

Mrs. D. S. Brook was a Calgary visitor several days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Freize and family of Dalemead were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hilton entertained Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. E. Olson and Larry.

Mrs. E. Godfrey entertained a few friends Thursday afternoon, the occasion being Warren's birthday.

Mrs. E. Olson entertained Wednesday for a few friends at supper.

We are pleased to welcome Mr. Ross Linton

to our mechanical staff, and to introduce him to our customers in Strathmore and district. Mr. Linton has had a wide and varied experience with both Ford and Monarch cars, and with IHC machinery. Coming from Regina and Vancouver Mr. Linton has served many years in both cities working on these lines of machinery, and is expertly qualified to tackle your problems in the repair line.

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5. Does he grant you every favor that you would ordinarily ask your local newspaper?
6. Does the quality of his merchandise stand inspection?
7. Does his price include postage and insurance charges?

If he can answer ALL the above questions in the affirmative, he is entitled to your business

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Local News Items

Mr. W. D. MacLean visited in Strathmore with his son, Chuck, for a couple of days last week, returning to Calgary on Saturday.

Miss Grace Tench and Mr. Graham Tench were home over the weekend. Graham is returning to exams at the Technical Institute.

Mrs. A. M. Moore attended the annual tea of the Literary Society in Calgary on Saturday. Mrs. Moore was one of the charter members years ago.

Mr. Acorn Whitney, son of Mr. Whitney of Red Deer, who was one time Principle of the Strathmore Schools, was awarded the Governor General's Medal for general proficiency at the University of Alberta this year. This is the highest award in the University's honor list.

Mrs. Julian, Bill Julian and Miss Gwer. Hunt left Monday for Edmonton to be present Tuesday at the Convocation ceremonies, when Bill will receive the B.Sc. degree in Agriculture.

Robert Mackle is suffering from a sprained ankle these days, and getting around somewhat with difficulty.

Arlene Edith were the names given to the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Jones when she was christened Tuesday evening at Strathmore United Church by the Rev. A. A. Hamilton. Following the services a few friends gathered at the Jones home to celebrate Mrs. Jones birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Teare were godparents at the ceremony.

Mrs. Folk was expected to arrive home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Warneck is expecting her daughters Mrs. Seville and Mrs. Raymond with their husbands to enjoy the Victoria Day weekend with her in Strathmore.

Mrs. McMurray and Mrs. Klaliber will entertain the two delegates to discuss the School of Religious Education for youth of the district. The School has been established in Narmata, B. C. and the two students coming have spent a year at this school.

Congratulations to both Miss Georgia and Mr. Blaine Chapman who won first place in the competition in which singer and accompanist are judged equally.

This competition is arranged by the Festival committee for the Province and is the only one of this line, held.

The Knights of Pythias of Standard asked Win. Gronberg to give the address he delivered recently in competition on the subject "The debt of the Modern World to Ancient Greece." Win gave this address Wednesday evening in the K. P. Hall in Standard, and a number of Strathmore folk went over to Standard for the occasion.

Mrs. Fonger entertained a few friends at a very enjoyable Tea Tuesday afternoon, in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Thew, who is her guest for a few days.

Mrs. Fraser of Calgary will come Saturday next to enjoy an extended visit with her sister Mrs. T. B. Wright.

The C.G.T. Mother and Daughter Banquet is being held Thursday evening.

The W.M.S. had their regular meeting Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Crory. An interesting program was given and some details of business matters arranged.

Ottawa Letter

FATHER LACOMBE

Starting life as a farm boy, Father Lacombe became one of the great pioneer heroes of the West. He had skill and courage, and because of his unselfish love of the warlike Indians, he gained their respect and homage.

The story is told that in 1695 a farmer on the banks of the St. Lawrence River went out with his wife to work in the fields. While the wife was gone, a party of Algonquin Indians plundered their home and carried away their daughter. For five years the search for the lost daughter

Sunday a number of friends and relatives helped Mrs. A. F. Hildahl celebrate her birthday. These included Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Hildahl and family, Mr. Jens and Edwin Hildahl all of Moorin, Mr. and Mr. R. Brown and Garry, Mr. and Mrs. Art Hoole and Sunday of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. O. Slack and Trudy of Dalmated, and Elma and Alfred Johnson. A very enjoyable afternoon was had by all.

Mr. William Meyers, an uncle of Bill Meyers of Strathmore, passed away at his home in Eersel, Holland, on May 17th. Mr. and Mrs. Meyers resided in Strathmore from 1908 to 1912, at which time he was manager of the Riverside Lumber Yard, which stood where the skating rink now is. His wife predeceased him.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Siemens and part of the family left Sunday for Iroquois, Saskatchewan, where funeral services were held for Mr. Siemens' uncle. They returned on Thursday evening.

Mr. Stan Cocks has returned from university, arriving home over the weekend. Stan's plans are a little indefinite for the summer, depending on the immigration regulations, but he is hoping to be allowed to spend the summer in the States, working as an assistant to a veterinarian.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hanson returned Thursday from Edmonton where Edwin was attending university, and are now home on the farm.

Mrs. Dora Gray is planning the establishing of a new beauty parlor in the premises next The Standard in the near future, and will be opening in about a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Robison are busily moving into their new home at the W.L.D. Headquarters.

Mr. Ted Ashmore has opened a watch-repairing establishment, located in Strathmore Electric.

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W. E. Thompson
Secretary Treas.

was fruitless. Then an uncle made a trip to Saint Ste. Marie with a party of traders, and, meeting a band of Indians, they asked if any of them could speak French. Yes, it seemed there was a woman who could interpret. She was the stolen daughter.

When the trading was over, she stole away with her two children in the white man's canoe, and escaped pursuit. She was welcomed at home as one who had returned from the grave, and one of these children was the ancestor of the great Christian missionary.

Albert Lacombe was educated by the Parish Priest and came to the West when Edmonton had a population of 150. He devoted his life to the teaching of his religion to the wandering tribes of Indians who then occupied this great lone land. They gave him a name meaning "Noble Son" and his fame spread from the Creeks to the North to the Blackfoot tribes in the South. He was so helpful in times of sickness and distress that he was referred to as "the Divine man" and also as "the man with the great heart."

One Sunday night, after his service in a camp at Battle River, the warriors of an enemy tribe burst in upon the gathering with war whoops and gun fire. The fighting lasted all night and, in the morning, the missionary holding his cross aloft advanced toward the enemy and

asked them to cease the bloodshed. A bullet struck his forehead and blood ran over his face. Chief Crowfoot saw this and with all the force of his mighty voice called out "You dogs, you have shot Good Heart — you have killed your friend, the man of prayer." They fled in shame to the woods.

Father Lacombe worked among all the tribes of the Blackfoot confederacy, and he really loved the Indians and their cousins, the Metis. He was a great help to the N.W.M. Police in their struggles against whiskey runners and bad men from the South. He started schools, churches, and hospitals, and with volunteer help built the first bridge constructed in the North West Territory.

When the first train reached Calgary, he was invited by the C.P.R. Directors into their car for lunch. He sat in the President's chair and for one hour on that great day, by a vote of the directors, he was the head of the C.P.R.

When the Riot Rebellion broke out, it was largely the devotion of the Blackfoot to Father Lacombe and their trust in him that kept them off their rampage. He understood the Indians and often pleaded for mercy for them before the Courts.

He died at the age of 89, having lived a life of adventure beyond the wildest dreams of his youth.

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